

REISSUE

PATENT

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REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

This is a request for filing a **broadening** reissue application for:

U.S. Patent No. 5,556,414

Issue Date: September 17, 1996

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For: COMPOSITE INTRALUMINAL GRAFT

1. This application is for the **broadening** reissue of a:

☒ **Utility Patent** ☐ **Design Patent** ☐ **Plant Patent**

2. The papers enclosed to obtain a filing date are as follows:

17 Pages of specification including

4 Pages of claims

1 Page of abstract and

5 Sheets of ☐ FORMAL ☒ INFORMAL drawings containing 20 Figures. As there are no changes being made to the drawings, please replace the INFORMAL DRAWINGS submitted herewith with the FORMAL DRAWINGS from the patent file.

3. Reissue Oath/Declaration

☐ Enclosed and is executed by assignee.

☒ Not Enclosed

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees.

4. Assignment

☒ The original U.S. Patent is assigned of record to Wayne State University and is recorded at Reel 7386, Frame 0585.

5. Priority - foreign applications under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) or PCT international applications under 35 U.S.C. § 365(a) designating at least one country other than the U.S.

Foreign applications from which priority is claimed are:

Country	Application No.	Filed

Certified copy(ies): ☐ is/are attached.
☐ will follow.
☐ was/were filed in the application on which the original patent was granted.

6. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION				
	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$790.00 Design \$395.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(e))	130 - 20	110	x \$22.00	+ \$ 2,420.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	14 - 3	11	x \$82.00	+ 902.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			\$270.00	+ 270.00
SUBTOTAL				= 4,382.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity				- 2,191.00
TOTAL FILING FEE				= \$ 2,191.00

7. Fee Payment

☒ Not Enclosed. **NO FEE IS BEING PAID BY CHECK OR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AT THIS TIME.** This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and/or paying the filing fees.

☐ Enclosed.

8. ☒ **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).
9. Additional papers enclosed:
- ☐ Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.183
 - ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
 - ☐ Form PTO-1449, ___ listed documents
 - ☐ Offer to Surrender Original Patent for a Reissue by the Assignee
 - ☐ Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)
 - ☐ Assent of Assignee to Reissue Application
 - ☐ Revocation of Original Power of Attorney and Grant of New Power of Attorney
 - ☒ Preliminary Amendment

Please accord a reissue application number and filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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